DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

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Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to OMB for Review and

Approval; Public Comment Request

Action: Notice

Summary: In compliance with section 3507(a)(1)(D) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of the Secretary (OS), Department of Health and Human Services, will submit an Information Collection Request (ICR), described below, to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval. The ICR is for renewal of the approved information collection assigned OMB control number 0990–0221, scheduled to expire on January 31, 2014. Comments submitted during the first public review of this ICR will be provided to OMB. OMB will accept further comments from the public on this ICR during the review and approval period.

Deadline: Comments on the ICR must be received on or before [INSERT DATE 30] DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments to OIRA submission@omb.eop.gov or via facsimile to (202) 395-5806.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Information Collection Clearance Staff, Information.CollectionClearance@hhs.gov or (202) 690-6162.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: When submitting comments or requesting information, please include the OMB control number 0990-0221 and document identifier HHS-OS-19606-30D for reference.

Information Collection Request Title: Family Planning Annual Report: Forms and Instructions

OMB No.: 0990-0221

Abstract: The Office of Population Affairs (OPA), Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health (OASH), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) administers and oversees the Title X Family Planning Program. The Family Planning Annual Report (FPAR) is an annual reporting requirement for family planning services delivery projects ("Title X service grantees") authorized and funded by the Title X Family Planning Program ["Population Research and Voluntary Family Planning Programs" (Public Law 91-572)], which was enacted in 1970 as Title X of the Public Health Service Act (Section 1001 of Title X of the Public Health Service Act, 42 United States Code 300). The Title X Family Planning Program is the only Federal grant program dedicated solely to providing individuals with comprehensive family planning and related preventive health services.

The FPAR, the only source of annual, uniform reporting by all Title X service grantees, provides consistent, national-, regional-, state-, and grantee-level data on the services provided and the characteristics of the individuals served. OPA uses FPAR data to monitor compliance with statutory requirements and accountability and federal performance requirements for Title X family planning funds as required by the 1993 Government Performance and Results Act (GPRA) and HHS, to guide financial and program planning and evaluation, and to respond to inquiries about the program from policymakers and Congress. Note that there are no changes to the FPAR except minor corrections or clarifications to submission and reporting instructions or definitions. The

estimated average hour burden has been reduced to 36 hours, which is 4 hours lower than the 40-hour estimate of the previous OMB submission.

Need and Proposed Use of the Information: The program's purpose is to assist individuals in determining the number and spacing of their children. It is designed to provide access to contraceptive services, supplies, and information to all who want and need them. By law, priority is given to persons from low-income families (Section 1006[c] of Title X of the Public Health Service Act, 42 USC 300).

Likely Respondents: Title X service grantees

Burden Statement: Burden in this context means the time expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, disclose, or provide the information requested. This includes the time needed to review instructions, to develop, acquire, install and utilize technology and systems for the purpose of collecting, validating and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information, to train personnel and to be able to respond to a collection of information, to search data sources, to complete and review the collection of information, and to transmit or otherwise disclose the information. The total annual burden hours estimated for this ICR are summarized in the table below.

Total Estimated Annualized Burden-Hours

		Number of	Average Burden	Total
Form Name	Number of	Responses per	per Response	Burden
	Respondents	Respondent	(in hours)	Hours
Family Planning Annual	93	1	36	3,348
Report: Forms and				
Instructions				
Total	93	1	36	3,348

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